

Appl. No. 10/632,925
Amtd. dated January 18, 2007
Reply to Office action of November 01, 2006

REMARKS

Applicant thanks the Office for attention accorded the present application in the November 1, 2006, Office Action. Claims 1, 8-9, 13, 15, and 19 have been amended. Claims 2, 7, 14, and 20 have been canceled. Claims 3-6, 10-12, and 16-18 are remained unchanged. 5 Claims 21-22 have been added. Claims 1, 3-6, 8-13, 15-19, and 21-22 are now pending in the application. Reconsideration of this application as amended is respectfully requested.

Supplemental information disclosure statement

Submitted concurrently herewith is a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement 10 and form PTO-1449 citing some references.

Allowable subject matter

Applicant thanks the Examiner for the indication that claims 2, 7-12, 14-18, and 20 15 are objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but would be allowable if rewritten in independent from including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims.

Claim Rejections and objections

Claims 1, 3-6, 13, and 19 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(e) as being anticipated by 20 Yoo et al. (US 6,959,058). Claims 2, 7-12, 14-18, and 20 are objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but would be allowable if rewritten in independent from including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims.

New and amended Claims

Because there are no intervening claims between claim 1 and claim 2, and because 25 claim 2 is indicated by examiner as being allowable if rewritten to include all limitations of the base claim, claim 1 is amended to include all limitations of claim 2. Claims 2 and 7 are therefore cancelled, and claims 8 and 9 are amended to be dependent on claim 1. As

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dependent claims 3-6 and 8-12 are now dependent on claim 1, if independent claim 1 is found allowable, so too should their dependent claims 3-6 and 8-12. Consideration of currently amended claim 1 and its dependent claims are respectfully requested.

Because there are no intervening claims between claim 13 and claim 14, and because
5 claim 14 is indicated by examiner as being allowable if rewritten to include all limitations
of the base claim, claim 13 is amended to include all limitations of claim 14. Claim 14 are
therefore cancelled, and claim 15 is amended to be dependent on claim 13. As dependent
claims 15-18 are now dependent on claim 13, if independent claim 13 is found allowable,
so too should their dependent claims 15-18. Consideration of currently amended claim 13
10 and its dependent claims are respectfully requested.

Because there are no intervening claims between claim 19 and claim 20, and because
claim 20 is indicated by examiner as being allowable if rewritten to include all limitations
of the base claim, claim 19 is amended to include all limitations of claim 20 and deleted
the unnecessary limitation "into a buffer" and "from the buffer". Claim 20 are therefore
15 cancelled. Additionally, new claims 21-22 are added and dependent on claim 19. No new
matter is entered. If independent claim 19 is found allowable, so too should their
dependent claims 21-22. Consideration of currently amended claim 19 and its dependent
claims are respectfully requested.

As all dependent claims are now dependent on claim 1 or claim 13 or claim 19, and
20 as currently amended claim 1, 13, and 19 includes limitations indicated by examiner as
being allowable, applicant hereby requests allowance of the application.

Summary

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, Applicant submits that this
25 application is now in condition for allowance and such action is respectfully requested.

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